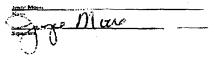
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application.

Application No.

10/027,647

Applicant(s) Filed

Lucio Pieroni, et al.: December 21, 2001

Title

A MOTORIZED HAND-HELD SCRUBBING AND DISPENSING DEVICE

AND A METHOD OF USE THEREFOR

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